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## CONTINUED PROSECUTION APPLICATION (CPA) UNDER 37 CFR § 1.53(d)

This is a Request for filing a ☒ Continuation or ☐ Divisional Application, under 37 CFR § 1.53(d) (Continued Prosecution Application (CPA)) of prior application Serial No. 09/021,956 filed on February 11, 1998 entitled TELEPHONIC-INTERFACE LOTTERY SYSTEM by Ronald A. Katz, which remains the same for this Continuing Application.

The above-identified application is hereby expressly abandoned as of the filing date of this request for a CPA. Please use all the contents of the prior application file wrapper, including the drawings, as the basic papers for the new application.

1. ☐ Enter the Amendment After Final under 37 CFR § 1.116 previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_ but unentered, in the prior application.
2. ☐ A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.
3. ☐ This application is filed by fewer than all the inventors named in the prior application. Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.53(d)(4) please delete the following inventors named in the prior application:
4. ☐ A new Power of Attorney or Authorization of Agent is enclosed.
5. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement with PTO-1449; ☐ copy of citations.

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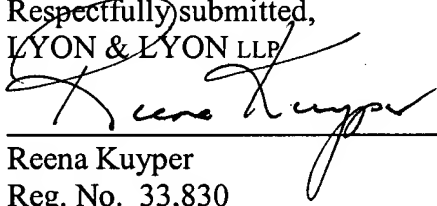
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Please direct all future correspondence regarding this matter to the undersigned counsel for applicant.

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